

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

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For: HYBRID NANOPARTICLES WITH  $\text{LN}_2\text{O}_3$  CORE AND CARRYING BIOLOGICAL  
LIGANDS, AND METHOD OF PREPARATION THEREOF (AS AMENDED)

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 2, 2010, please revise the application as follows: